## RESOLUTION NO. 2004-250

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL APPROVING APPLICATION TO THE SAN JOAQUIN COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS FOR A CONGESTION MITIGATION AND AIR QUALITY GRANT FOR THE PURCHASE OF TEN (10) COMPRESSED NATURAL GAS DIAL-A-RIDE VEHICLES, AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE GRANT APPLICATION ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF LODI

WHEREAS, the Transit Division is in need of vehicle replacements for several existing transit vehicles. These vehicles, while still operable, have exceeded their useful life and have become increasingly costly to maintain; and

WHEREAS, the grant would replace the five remaining gasoline-fueled vehicles in our fleet with new compressed natural gas (CNG) vehicles, and this replacement would complete the conversion of the transit fleet to CNG; and

WHEREAS, in addition, staff is applying for an additional five vehicles to assist with the increasing demand for service, as well as to allow older vehicles to be moved into a reserve fleet to be available when active vehicles go in for regularly-scheduled maintenance or are involved in an accident; and

WHEREAS, the grant application requests \$600,000 in funding with a \$200,000 local match from the Transit fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council hereby approves application for a Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Grant to the San Joaquin Council of Governments for the purchase of ten (10) CNG Dial-A-Ride vehicles; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to execute the Grant Application on behalf of the City of Lodi.

Dated: November 17,2004

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2004-250 was passed and adopted by the Lodi City Council in a regular meeting held November 17, 2004, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS - Beckman, Hitchcock, Howard, Land, and

Mayor Hansen

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

SUSANJ, BLACKSTON

City Clerk